

Mr Baker could not say what unit would be withdrawn at this time. The troops will go to the Philippines before being transported to the United States.

OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

DESTROYS DWELLING.

Mr. Vision Occupied by D. Head Burns to Ground. — The dwelling situated about a mile and a half from Otsego, owned by Mrs. A. Vision and occupied by Mrs. A. Vision, was burned to the ground on Jan. 1. It is thought that a chimney caused the blaze. At the time of the fire, Mrs. Vision and her two children were in the house, and as there was no alarm given, they were burned down without being under the progress of the fire. No neighbors saw the flames, and it was not until after the blaze had fallen into the cellar that the firemen arrived on the scene. It was too late to save anything. None of the contents of the house were saved, and the loss will be a severe one to Mrs. Vision, as she had no insurance. Mr. Vision, who is the second time in less than a year that Mrs. Vision's home has been destroyed and much sympathy for her here.

GEORGE FOUND DEAD IN BED.

George, aged 85 years, who in this village with his wife, Mrs. George, was found dead this morning. He had been ill for several days, but had declined medical aid. However, his life had been longer preserved, as he was one of his years, and his heart failure.

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Children's Union Suits; bleached; sizes 2 to 16 yrs.; at ... 85c to \$1.12
Ladies' white or tan hose; dandy value at 19c
Children's Hose; white or black; not many of this lot; at ... 19c
Ladies' Muslin Gowns; nicely trimmed; good cut; at ... 89c
Ladies' Muslin Gowns; embroidery trimmed; good value; at ... \$1.49
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Muslin Corset Covers; nicely trimmed; special at ... 29c
Ladies' Outing Robes; in colored stripes; special at ... \$1.49
Ladies' Outing Robes; good, heavy weight; special at ... \$1.98
Ladies' Bathrobes; good colors; good weight \$4.98
Men's Canvas Gloves with leather hands; limited lot at ... 39c
Men's good Work Socks in gray or black; special at ... 20c
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\$29.75
We are Showing First Shipment of Spring Millinery

1 o'clock, the Rev. J. G. Rice officiating. Interment at the cemetery at Sand Hill. — The large ice house of the Borden's near the milk station, is nearly filled with the available help in the vicinity being employed. The ice is of very fine quality, from 8 to 12 inches in thickness. — Since New Year's Mrs. Sylvia Ray is teacher in place of Mrs. Ben Carr, resigned. — S. L. Youmans spent part of the past week visiting the family of Fred Cornell at Masonville. — John Youmans, with a number of proxies for voting, represented the east end of the Riverdale Telephone company at their annual meeting held at Sidney today. — Our census enumerator, Dr. Ray S. Youmans, has the district allotted to him nearly canvassed. — A young student of Hamilton university, Rev. Chalmers, officiated at the Baptist church in this place Sunday. — Friday will be the last day for the collector of taxes to be at Sisson's store. — Ira Hall is very ill and with his age and other complications against him there is but very little hope for his recovery.

PORTLANDVILLE LOCALS.

Portland, Jan. 13. — Rev. Dr. Hensley preached in the Methodist Episcopal church on Sunday morning, this being the last quarterly meeting of this conference year. — The ladies of the Christian church will serve a dinner at the church parlors on Friday from 12 o'clock until all are served. — Miss Jennie Mumford, who has been with the family of Rev. Roy Jackson in New Jersey, the past year, returned to her home here Sunday evening. — Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Parker are now at their home here. — Mrs. Mary Ferguson spent Saturday and Sunday at W. L. Wellman's, returning to Milford Center Sunday evening. — Monthly supper of the Ladies' Aid society will be served in the church parlors Wednesday evening at 5.30. — George Applegate of Binghamton was at his home from Friday until Sunday night. — Rev. S. E. Hunt was called to Guilford to preach there on Sunday morning. — Mrs. Julia Lyke is at her home here for a few days. — Mr. and Mrs. A. Porter were in Oneonta Sunday to see their sister, Mrs. Gardiner of Garrattsville, who is improving after a serious operation performed at Fox Memorial hospital on Tuesday. — Abram Wright went Saturday to Oneonta to consult Dr. Cutler, as he is suffering from blood poisoning in his foot. — E. Vandewerker visited A. Rhynes Saturday and Sunday.

WESTFORD LOCALS.

Westford, Jan. 13. — Lee McRorie spent two days in Cooperstown last week attending a special meeting of the board of supervisors. — J. A. Skinner has sold his farm to a Mr. Wilcox of Steuben county and will give possession March 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Skinner are expecting to purchase a house in Worcester and reside there. — Mrs. William E. Wright was stricken with a shock on Sunday morning and has been steadily failing since then, with no prospect of recovery. — Mrs. Frank Barnard is teaching in the Pleasant Brook school as supply for two weeks. — The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church will serve dinner in the hall on Friday of this week. All are invited.

WESTVILLE WEEKLY.

Westville, Jan. 13. — Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Burton and Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Burton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Merritt Sunday. — Thirty of the friends of Mrs. Frank Eckler made her a surprise at her home last Saturday evening, the time being very pleasantly spent with games and music. — Miss Georgia Smith was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jacobs. — Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Robinson were guests at the home of their son, John Robinson, at Edson Corners, Sunday.

MIDDLEFIELD.

Middlefield, Jan. 13. — The gentlemen of the Methodist church will serve their annual oyster supper in the dining parlors on next Friday evening. Come and enjoy the "oats" and a pleasant evening. — The social held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Tabor last Friday evening was well attended considering the weather. The proceeds were \$9.10.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

HOME BUREAU MEETING.

Several Speakers at Session Monday — Delaware Academy Victorious. — Delhi, Jan. 13. — A Home Bureau meeting was held in the grand jury rooms of the court house on Monday afternoon. Miss Elizabeth McDonald presided over the meeting. Miss Snook was the first speaker of the afternoon and very ably outlined the history and present work of the Home Bureau in New York state. She stated that there were 14,000 members in the state at the present time. Following this address, Mrs. A. D. Rowell of Delhi read a paper on the history of the Bureau in Delaware county. This paper was very well arranged and showed a great amount of work on the part of

Mrs. Rowell. It might be of interest to know that Miss L. Frances Clark was the promoter of the bureau in this county, who afterwards became Mrs. C. E. Ladd. Mrs. Buckman of Walton gave an interesting talk on the present work of the bureau and the meeting then closed with a few remarks from Mrs. J. H. Bull and the presiding officer of the meeting.

Delaware Academy Victorious.
A double game of basket ball was played in the High school auditorium on Friday evening. The two teams which were to meet each other were the Hobart High School boys and girls and the Delaware Academy boys and girls. When the two Hobart teams arrived in town they were escorted to the Academy, where an inviting supper was given under the direction of Misses Jones and Weir. Prof. and Mrs. Arthur were the invited guests of the evening. Following the supper the two games were played, both resulting in victories for Delaware Academy. The score for the girls' game was 29 to 0 and the boys' game 35 to 23.

Teachers' Salaries Raised.
At a meeting of the Board of Education held last evening, Prof. H. B. Arthur was granted an increase in salary from \$2,200 to \$2,900 and the other members of the faculty were granted substantial increases.

Brief News Mention.
Local doctors report old fashioned grippe quite prevalent but no cases of influenza. — Mr. and Mrs. John Hoagland are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter Thursday at their home in Stamford. The mother will be remembered as Katherine Husted, formerly of this town. — Rev. G. W. Grinton, district superintendent of the Kingston district, was in town and held quarterly conference in the Methodist Episcopal church on Saturday evening. He also preached in the church in the morning. — Charles L. Andrus of Stamford and New York city, attorney for the O. & W. railroad, was in town today to attend the annual election of the Delaware National bank, of which institution he is vice president. — Mr. and Mrs. Ralph S. Cavan expect to move to the suite of rooms in W. H. Cavan's house which are to be vacated by Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Woods.

HOBBART HAPPENINGS.
Hobart, Jan. 13. — Mrs. Margaret Morehouse and niece, Miss Emma Freeman, spent today in Oneonta. — S. W. Andrews of New York was a guest Monday night of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Bush. — District Deputy Grand Master A. L. O'Connor and his grand marshal, G. J. Gallup, were in Davenport last night, where they conducted a public installation. — The Queen Esther circle met this evening with Misses Mae and Mable Bouton. — George K. McNaught of Harrison is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Woods.

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EVENING

Two Shows
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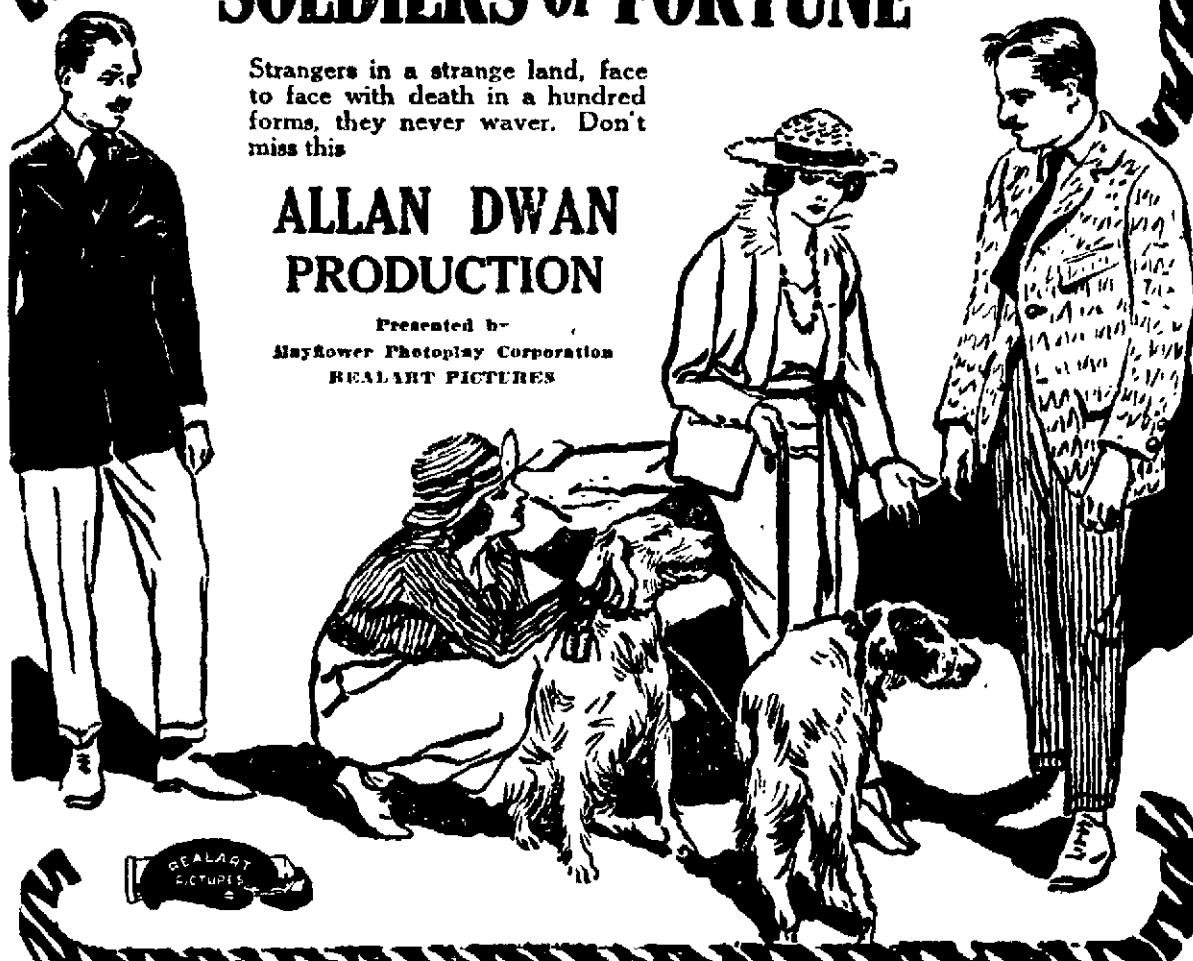
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LIMITED TIMBER YIELD.

The state of New York has a potential forest area of 12,000,000 acres, and it is now cutting timber at the rate of 750,000,000 board feet annually, which is about 60 board feet to the acre. This is just about the amount of timber which could be obtained from a white pine tree eight or nine inches in diameter. As the amount of timber land is steadily being depleted, it would appear that the actual new growth of forests in the state is only about 20 board feet to the acre.

The attention of farmers of Otsego county, where there are extensive wooded areas, and some parts of Delaware, where the wood or brush lots are still more numerous, is called to the above figures. Under careful cultivation for 20 years, says the State Department of Agriculture, these farm woodlots should be producing 500 board-feet of lumber each year, which would more than take care of the wood using industries of the state under present conditions; and moreover this increased production would doubtless result in bringing new industries to the small country towns, which have most need of them.

The Otsego Improvement association already has realized the need of forestry work, and the towns of Unadilla and Exeter have taken preliminary steps toward the systematic development of wooded areas. Other towns will doubtless follow their example. At any rate all should if Otsego is to measure up to her aspirations to be "the best county in the state."

COLD STORAGE PENALTIES.

During the year just past a total of \$2,325 in fines has been paid into the state treasury for violations of the New York state cold storage law, according to a statement issued today by Commissioner Eugene H. Porter of the state division of foods and markets. Seventy cases, in all, have been referred to the attorney general and settled, the fines levied in each case ranging from \$25 to \$100. A considerable number of unsettled cases are still pending.

During the year the inspectors of the division made a total of 1208 regular inspections of the 72 licensed public warehouses of the state in addition to 514 inspections made of unlicensed private storages. The majority of the violations reported by the inspectors were for food kept in cold storage longer than the 12 months' period allowed by law, while the remainder were mainly cases of failure to mark goods put in cold storage or cases of illegal transfer of goods from one storage to another.

COOPERSTOWN PLATOON CO. G

Gives Complimentary Banquet Monday Evening to Capt. F. M. H. Jackson. Captain Jackson of Company G was at the county seat Monday evening for the purpose of attending the regular drill of the Cooperstown platoon of that company. The platoon now has 40 members and under the command of Lieut. George H. Carley manifests unusual proficiency in the duties of the soldier. Practically every member of the platoon was present Monday evening.

Following the drill a complimentary dinner to Captain Jackson was served in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, at which in addition to the entire personnel of the Cooperstown platoon there were present Lieut. McLaury of Oneonta, Lieut. Sample of the aviation hospital, and President Stone and Secretary Davidson of the Cooperstown Chamber of Commerce. Following the dinner, which was most delicious and heartily enjoyed, there were brief remarks by Lieuts. Carley, McLaury and Sample, by Messrs. Stone and Davidson and by Captain Jackson, who briefly but fittingly expressed his appreciation of the spirit of soldierly comradeship evinced by the members of the platoon.

COST OF OTSEGO HIGHWAYS.

Figures Submitted by Commissioner Green—Six Principal Road Types.

A recent circular sent out by the state commissioner of highways gives the estimated average cost of construction in all the counties of the state of the six leading types of highway pavement—a cost which naturally differs in the various districts with the proximity of the roads to be improved to points where the required material can be secured. In the Fifth Division, which includes the counties of Broome, Chenango, Delaware, Otsego, Schoharie and Sullivan, the cost of minimum bituminous pavement on sand or gravel is estimated at \$22,000 per mile; of minimum reinforced concrete pavement at \$22,000; of heavy bituminous pavement on clay or loam at \$22,500; of heavy reinforced concrete at \$29,000; of mixed bituminous top on concrete at \$22,500, and of brick on concrete foundation at \$22,500. The minimum bituminous pavement is constructed with a six inch foundation course, two inch bottom course, three inch top course; total thickness, 11 inches. The heavy bituminous pavement has a nine inch foundation course, three inch bottom course, three inch top course; total thickness, 15 inches.

LAUNCHING THE SHIP.

Members of M. E. Home Missionary Society Enjoy Social and Banquet.

There were fully 150 members of the Home Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church present at the business meeting and banquet held yesterday afternoon at the church on Chestnut street. The business session, which was held in the auditorium at 2 p. m., was followed by a delicious dinner served in the church parlors at 5 o'clock. After the dinner, Mrs. George J. Chute, as specialist in Ship Building, introduced Mrs. L. B. Green, who acted as toastmistress and felicitously introduced the speakers, who discussed the general theme of "Launching the Ship."

The speakers were Mrs. B. M. Johns, who spoke on the steel frame, which was likened to the steadfastness of love; Mrs. George J. Dunn, on the hull, which she likened to education; Mrs. Burton Todd, on the dollars contributed by the society membership, which are the rivets of the boat; Mrs. H. W. Lee on the bow of the ship, which stands for the forward progress of youth; Mrs. W. H. Hickok on the rudder, which is the officers who direct the course of the society; Mrs. C. R. Harp, whose theme was the searchlight, which is the Home Missionary paper, Mrs. C. P. Huntington on the three classes of passengers—yearly, life and perpetual members; and Mrs. C. J. Westcott on the destination of the ship which, crowded with passengers new and old, will come to anchor June 8, which is the 40th anniversary of the society, for which a membership drive is now making.

Features of the program were also the songs by the members, the launching of the ship by Miss Evelyn Dibble, who placed a bouquet of pink roses beside the miniature ship on the speakers' table, and the accompanying song, "Sail On," by Miss Annie Walters.

Fifteen new members were added to the society at the meeting. In addition to the members of the Missionary society, the members of the Queen Esther society were present as guests.

OTSEGO JERSEY CLUB MEETING.

Hally Day for the Jersey Club Members of Otsego County.

The Jersey club will hold its annual winter meeting in the Chamber of Commerce rooms at Cooperstown on January 21, beginning at 10:30 a. m. The officers have prepared a very interesting program of talks, coupled with a dinner at noon.

The morning will be devoted to a business session which is quite important, as there are several matters to be discussed; officers for the ensuing year will be elected, 1920 picnic plans will be talked over and some new work for the club, as a club project, will be started. You owe it to your Jerseys to be present at this meeting.

The main speaker of the day will be Manager Floyd S. Barlow of the Otsego County Improvement association. The subject of his talk will be "Playing the Game." He requires no introduction.

Those who have completed tests under the rules of the Jersey club contest and wish to enter their results for the loving cup must send their results to the Farm bureau office immediately, in order that we may be able to award the prize at the club meeting.

Please tell your neighbor about this meeting and ask him to come, even though he is not a member of the club or the Farm bureau.

Real Estate Transfers.

Orville M. Hale has purchased of Mrs. Rosalia C. Griffin, widow of the late Dr. Austin Griffin, a house and lot on Miller street and is occupying the same as a residence. The consideration was \$2,600.

Mrs. Rebecca W. Eckerson has sold the house and lot on Neahwa place, formerly the property of the late Hassan Eckerson, to George H. Spencer, who buys it as a home for his family. Mr. Spencer is in possession of the property.

Heber J. Gilpin has purchased of Claude Hagaborn a house and lot on West End avenue for a home and is occupying the same.

Wanted—Young man to learn the printing trade. Must be 16 years of age and have fair education. Apply at Star office after 7 p. m. adv 14

ANNUAL BANK MEETINGS.

Wilber National Bank.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wilber National bank, held yesterday, the following were elected directors for the ensuing year: George I. Wilber, Albert B. Tobey, Albert Morris, Irving H. Rowe, Otto Clark McCrum, Arthur E. Ford, Orlando B. Rowe and Edward M. Ronan. At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following officers were elected:

Vice President—George I. Wilber.
President—Albert B. Tobey.
Cashier—Samuel H. Potter.
Assistant Cashiers—Edward Crippen, Robert Hall, Lewis F. Rose.

This bank has just closed one of the most successful years in its history and looks forward to great prosperity in the years to come. The financial strength of this institution, together with its sound, conservative executive management and strong board of directors, has attracted a very large volume of business from this city as well as surrounding territory; so much so that it has become necessary to add additional equipment and two extra tellers for the accommodation of the public. The contract work for the new steel and marble fixtures is now under construction and it is hoped it may be installed at an early date. The usual semi-annual dividend of 6 per cent was declared on the 5th inst. payable to stockholders of record.

Citizens' National Bank.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens' National bank of Oneonta, held yesterday afternoon, the following directors were elected: George B. Baird, Frank H. Breesee, Roscoe C. Briggs, Seymour S. Crandall, William S. Dart, George W. Fairchild, Marcus C. Hemstreet, Bertus C. Lauren, William S. Polley, Charles Smith, Julian C. Smith, Henry S. Wickham and Frank L. Winsor.

Later a meeting of the directors was held and the following officers were elected:

President—Charles Smith.
Vice President—George B. Baird.
Cashier—Marcus C. Hemstreet.
Assistant Cashiers—A. E. Hewell, Horace W. Stanton, W. Arthur Holley, Teller—John Leslie Bagg.
Assistant Teller—John J. Chase.

The affairs of the bank were never in a better or more prosperous condition, showing an increase in resources of over a quarter of a million dollars in the past year. With the addition of another teller, the bank is prepared to give additional and quicker service and it extends these business advantages to all in need of sound, progressive banking facilities.

Federal Loan Association Elects.

On Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, the Otsego County Farm Loan association met at the Chamber of Commerce rooms for the transaction of business and the election of officers. There was a large attendance and the rooms presented an animated appearance during the whole afternoon. At the stockholders' meeting the following were elected as a board of directors: Milton Brown, C. E. Jarvis, I. S. Blanchard, A. L. Strait and B. S. Burnside.

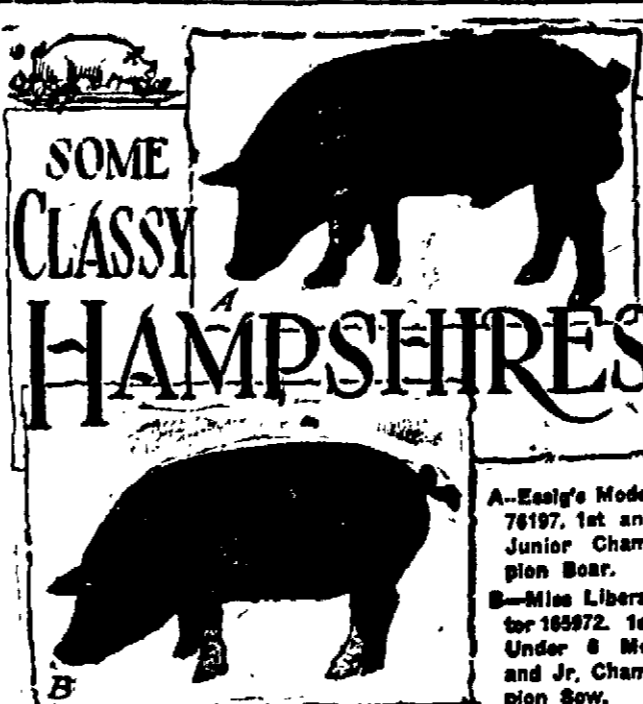
This was followed by a meeting of the board of directors, at which the following officers were elected: President—Milton Brown.
Vice President—I. S. Blanchard.
Secretary-Treasurer—C. F. Myers.
The Federal Farm Loan association has brought \$80,250 into this county for loans since its organization two years ago.

Oneonta Promotion Company.

At the annual meeting of the Oneonta Promotion company, the concern formed to build the structure occupied by the Overall factory on Chestnut street, held at the Municipal building last evening, the following directors were chosen: Charles Smith, Roscoe C. Briggs, George B. Baird, Andrew E. Ceperley, Harry W. Lee, Frank H. Breesee, Albert Morris, Frank McFee, DeForest Keyes, Albert L. Judd, William P. Eggleston, George W. Fairchild, T. Waldo Stevens, Marcus Hemstreet and Bertus C. Lauren.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors Charles Smith was elected president, Roscoe C. Briggs and George B. Baird vice presidents; A. E. Ceperley, treasurer, and H. W. Lee, secretary.

Wanted—Short order cook at the Pioneer lunch. adv 14



(National Crop Improvement Service.)
ONE of the great events of the National Swine show at Des Moines this fall was the ring exhibit of ninety-four under-six-months Hampshire boars. Every one of them was a good one. Naturally some were a little better than others but they were all so good that judging was very difficult.

Many of these young pigs which were winners at the different state fairs were left entirely out of the money. The junior champion boar in this show was Essig's Model, raised by Willie Essig, Tipton, Ind.

A-Essig's Model
76197, 1st and Junior Champion Boar.
B—Miss Liberator 165872, 1st Under 6 Mo. and Jr. Champion Sow.

The champion under-six-months sow was Miss Liberator, raised on the Wickfield farms and sold for \$2,000.

The yearling sows were represented by the best looking bunch ever brought together in a show. In the junior yearling class it is predicted that in another year they will add greatly to the glory of the breed. The popularity of the Hampshire hogs is phenomenal.

The American Hampshire Swine Record association is located at Peoria, Ill., and all interested in this breed are invited to write for any information regarding breeding sows.

GIANTS DEFEAT INDIANS.

Better Turnout Last Evening at Y. M. C. A. Bowling Tournament.

In the second night's games of the new bowling tournament at the Y. M. C. A., the Giants last evening took two out of three games from the Indians. There was a better turnout of contestants than on the previous night, only two men being absent.

The Scores.

GIANTS—			
Yaugha	132	170	166
Eldred	125	125	125
Taylor	130	118	124
Currier	172	167	167
Thomas	176	176	176
Totals	735	736	758
INDIANS—			
Dibble	130	195	156
Merchant	139	133	181
Craft	85	134	149
Church	126	133	157
K. Shaw	120	119	136
Totals	609	714	779

To Whom It May Concern.

We herewith give notice that we will not be responsible for any debts contracted by E. W. Scott of Schenectady, N. Y., as he is no longer in our employ.
Miller Hide Co.
Oneonta, N. Y., Jan. 9, 1920.
adv w-s-14

MICKIE SAYS

"THEY GOTS A GRIEF IN THIS RUNNIN' A NEWSPAPER—BUT TH' LAST STRAW THAT GIVES TH' CAMEL RUBBER KNEES IS WHEN SOME CHEAP GUY TRIES TO SAVE A QUARTER BY CAMOUFLAGING AN AD INTO A NEWS ITEM 'TO HELP FILL UP TH' PAPER!'"



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\$10.50 Suits and Overcoats	\$7.50
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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY.

8 a. m. 30
2 p. m. 30
8 p. m. 22
Maximum, 32; Minimum, 12.
Rainfall .12.

LOCAL MENTION

—A smoker will be held at the Oneonta club this evening, to which members are cordially invited. Amateur night has been postponed to a date to be announced later.

—Members of the West End Barbecue and friends, in all about 25, attended the regular meeting at the home of F. N. Horton on Gilbert street last evening. Following the business session there was a very pleasant social hour, and light refreshments were served.

—The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church met Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. George Hull, 64 Dietz street, with an attendance of about 15. There was a short program with Foreign Medical Missionaries as the subject. A business meeting was also held.

—Company G basket ball team suffered defeat at the hands of a town team at Cooperstown last evening, the final score being 66 to 18. The Cooperstown boys got the lead early in the game and maintained it throughout. The game, which was played in the village hall before a fair-sized crowd, was followed by a dance.

Meetings Today.

Regular meeting Veteran Firemen this evening at 8 o'clock.
Regular meeting W. B. A. O. T. M. review this evening at 7:30 sharp. The new password given. Guards please wear white. Auditing committee please meet at 6:30 p. m.

The L. O. O. M. will hold their regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. Initiation at lodge rooms on Dietz street. All cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies' guild of the Lutheran church will hold their regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fromm-hagen, 42 Academy street. Good attendance desired.

The Ladies' society of the Universalist church will meet this afternoon with Mrs. W. L. Brown, 97 Main street.

All members of the case committee of the Federation for Social service are urged to be present at a meeting to be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Charles Smith, 25 Elm street.

Regular meeting Knights of Columbus this evening at 7:30, in Trainmen's hall. Ladies' night.

The Young Ladies' Philathea class of the First Baptist church will hold their annual business meeting with Mrs. Sanford Disbrow Jr., 38 Cherry street, this evening at 7 o'clock.

Woman's Club.

"Open house" on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5:30. Tea will be served at 4 o'clock. Members interested in forming a class for the study of current fiction will meet at 3 o'clock. Bring your knitting and sewing.

Dancing class Wednesday evening from 8 until 10 o'clock. Miss Love, instructor. Instruction free to members of the Recreational Dancing class.

The Current Topics class will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Sugar Shortage Passed.

Indications are the sugar shortage is practically passed and that in the future it can be secured, although it will be only in limited quantities for a considerable time. The local wholesalers are receiving shipments of the new Cuban crop, which is being supplied to the retailers so that it should be sold for 19 or 20 cents. It will be some time before a price below that named can be expected, it is believed.

Monday's Fire.

The firemen were summoned to Box 62 at 5:15 Monday afternoon, on account of a chimney fire at 74 West Broadway. Little damage was done and the fire was extinguished with a hand fire extinguisher.

A Darn Good Chance.

Place a lonesome \$5 each month, 159 times and have \$390 added to it as compound interest and get \$1,000. Make it \$10 and have \$690 added to it in compound interest and get \$2,000. Didn't know it, hey? Well, I have been doing it 31 years and up to several million dollars, and am now rolling up some three million more. Three thousand Oneonta people can tell you how I do it. Uncle Sam and the state help me and ask that I tell you about it. And if you get in with my new bunch of people who are now starting with me to thus get half a million more, you'll be a darn sight better off. It's no gain to me whether you do it or not, but if you don't do it, cut out that whining and bum growing about not having a fair chance. I am the safe and sane Oneonta Building and Loan association. advt 11

Private Sale of Household Furniture.

One oxidized iron bed, mattress and springs, one combination book case and writing desk, one bird's-eye maple wash stand, one toilet set, one mahogany piano stool, one birch mahogany stand—all in good condition. Call or phone between 5 and 8 p. m. E. A. Smith, 72 Spruce street. Phone 226-W. advt 11

Dancing class will be held this evening commencing at 7:30 in Dreamland hall, to teach one-step and waltz. Lessons 50 cents. John Canning advt 11

There are no false bottoms or pan-ty in the Baker Baking Company's bottles. Quality and quantity both standardized. advt 61

HONOR HEROIC DEAD

TOWN OF BONY, FRANCE, DEPOSITS WREATH TO MEMORY OF 27TH DIVISION

There Fell a Number of Oneonta County Boys, Members of Company G Under Captain Johnson—Pivotal Point Freed by Men of Gallant 27th.

The town of Bony, France, stands near the center of what was the main defensive system in the tunnel sector of the Hindenburg line. It was there that the great attack of September 29 was launched in 1918, in which the men of the 27th division played a well-known part. In all 1,680 men of that unit fell in the action, and their bodies were buried in the American cemetery near the town.

Major General O'Ryan has recently received from the mayor of Bony a letter, which expresses with typical French gracefulness the feeling of the village toward the Americans. The letter says in part:

"I have the honor to respectfully inform you that on the anniversary of their deliverance by the 27th American division the inhabitants of Bony went piously carrying the homage of their gratitude to the dead of the American cemetery and there deposited a garland wreath. We were reminded that these young heroic and superb men had sacrificed themselves in the defense of the oppressed people of the world, and more particularly for our defense. We shall never forget what we owe the division of New York, for we can see anew shining above our ruins the sun of liberty, tradition and ideals."

The letter General O'Ryan has acknowledged, thanking the people of Bony for their gracious and kindly action and expressing the belief that America is content to leave her dead in the keeping of a people who so revere their memory and guard their sanctuary.

Captain Johnson, who kept an accurate record of the men, reports that of the men of the command who fell at the battle and were buried in the cemetery at Bony were Private Henry Reed, formerly of Cooperstown, and Private Peter C. Virtell of Maryland.

Others who fell in the struggle and were buried near were Corporal Robert G. Cobbett of Cooperstown, Private Leon E. Eckler of Oneonta, Private Fred A. Hall of Milford, Private Asa C. Strong of Milford, Private James F. Hayne of Cooperstown. These were buried at Guillemont farm in vicinity of Bony and it is not improbable that their graves were also visited.

Corporal Earl R. Gardner of Oneonta, who went into action when he should have reported ill and was sent back suffering from pneumonia, was also one of the heroes of this encounter. He was buried at Douing.

Wounded in this memorable battle were Private Charles L. Saxton of Oneonta, who was buried at Tincourt, and Sergeant Elbert N. Patten of Oneonta, who was buried at La Treport.

U. S. D. Morning Train Meets Accident

Train 8 on the Ulster & Delaware, the passenger local which leaves Oneonta at 7:10 a. m. for Kingston, was delayed about an hour yesterday morning by an accident which occurred near Phenocia. A broken rail caused the derailment of the two passenger coaches, but fortunately at the time of the accident the train was not moving rapidly and the cars did not overturn. The engine and mail-baggage car safely went over the break and remained on the track. After the cars had been replaced and the break in the rail repaired the train proceeded, but was an hour late in reaching its terminal. There were many passengers in the two cars derailed, including several women and children, but as the cars remained upright no one was injured.

Herrieff Says:

If Uncle Sam ever gets around to sign the peace treaty, it looks as though it would be Woodrow's treat—but the boys can't figure on a good old drink when it happens—grape juice and orangeade don't have the % of kick to bring about that happy-go-lucky, nimble-go-shitless feeling.

Anyway, the senate doesn't seem to feel afraid the treaty is going to run away, so they'll take their time.

Don't wait for 'em—treat yourself to one of the new H. S. & M. suits we've just got in—better buy it now than to kick yourself next spring for not buying it. advt 11

Those who wish to attend the dance at Milford tonight can secure Cobleskill bus at the postoffice at 8 o'clock. The fare: 60c round trip; ladies, 30c. advt 11

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CHAMBER OF COM. MEETING.

Real Estate Interests to Consider Important Political Questions.

A special meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce has been called for this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce rooms to take action on the program for improved highways in this county. Delegates will be appointed to confer with representatives of the State Highway department who will be at the Municipal building Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The real estate interests of this city will also meet at the same time in the Chamber of Commerce rooms for a conference to discuss a bill that has been introduced in congress by Hon. William H. Hill, representative from this district. The bill calls for the creation of a federal urban mortgage bank system, somewhat similar to the federal farm loan bank. This system is designed to afford relief to the present housing situation.

They will also consider a petition to support an appeal to congress to enact legislation rescinding the income tax on mortgages owned by any individual, up to \$40,000.

The Chamber of Commerce committee has been asked to take a decided stand in favor of this legislation and the directors before acting desire to secure the views of the real estate interests of the city.

Gilbert DePuy Settles.

Gilbert E. DePuy, who was sought by various creditors in connection with his failure to pay for certain articles bought on the installment plan, has made good in two cases.

He was recently found in Syracuse, where he had the Bedell car, and he has arranged matters satisfactorily in Sidney and has paid the Binghamton people the balance due on the typewriter. It is understood. No information is at hand as to his local creditors, but it is thought he has made no settlement.

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Wanted Underwood Typewriter.

The Star would like to lease or purchase an Underwood typewriter. Must be in good condition. Call on or address H. W. Lee, Star office. advt 11

FORD TRUCK DAMAGED.

Comes Into Collision With Another Car When Brakes Slip.

A Ford truck driven by Charles Jarvis of Fly Creek was damaged in a collision Saturday afternoon on Chestnut street. Mr. Jarvis, who was accompanied by B. S. Burnside of Maryland, was on his way to Morris from this city and was driving west on Chestnut street behind a Nestle Food company truck driven by one of the company's employees. When about in front of the Baird residence, the Nestle truck stopped suddenly and to avoid running into it Mr. Jarvis had to apply his brakes, as he could turn to neither side as a trolley was approaching on the left and there were autos parked on the right. The brakes failed to hold, owing to the snow, and the Jarvis truck crashed into the rear of the Nestle auto. Mr. Burnside jumped from the truck as it was about to strike and landed safely on the sidewalk. Jarvis, who remained at the wheel, also was uninjured.

The Nestle truck was practically uninjured but the radiator, lights and windshield of the Jarvis car were demolished. The fan on the engine was also damaged. The car was taken to the Rex garage for repairs.

A. M. BUTTS SECURED.

Has Chattel Mortgage on Car and Received Stable Cash Payment.

Relative to the article in The Star of yesterday about the departure of W. J. Mathews from the county, Arthur M. Butts desires it known that he received a substantial sum in cash for the Oldsmobile touring car which he sold to Mr. Mathews and that in addition he has a chattel mortgage on the car signed by both Mathews and his wife.

He further states that he expects to receive the balance due on the car or the car returned within 60 days. The Star had no intention of making it appear that Mr. Butts had been an easy mark in the transaction for his reputation in making deals would preclude any such impression gaining any wide credence hereabouts.

A first-class \$2.50 fountain pen for \$1.67. Linen finish writing paper, white and colors, 25 cents per box. Corner Bookstore. Kenneth W. Goldthwaite. advt 61

Oak and green leather strips, cut soles, lasts, nails, shoe hammers and knives at Baker Brothers. advt 21

Wanted—Good man at Crandall's lunch room. Lower Chestnut street. Best of wages to right party. advt 31.



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1 lot Men's Jersey Knit Shirts and Drawers; heavy winter weight; regular \$1.25 quality. Sale price	85c	years. Regular \$1.50 value. Sale price	\$1.15	9-4 Bleached Sheeting. 59c value. Sale price	39c
Men's Union Suits; heavy ribbed; worth \$2.49; to close out	\$1.45	Children's Yarn Gloves and Mittens; excellent value at	39c	9-4 Bleached Sheeting. 90c value. Sale price	64c
Men's heavy ribbed Union Suits; worth \$3.75; our sale price	\$1.95	Men's Wool Yarn Gloves; 100 pairs to close out at	29c	8-4 Bleached Sheeting. 80c value. Sale price	59c
Boys' heavy fleece lined Union Suits ..	\$1.20	Men's heavy leather faced Mittens; \$1.00 quality. Sale Price	67c	8-4 Brown Sheeting; 80c value. Sale price	59c
Men's plain or blue and white Shirts, with separate collars; a \$2.50 value. Sale Price	\$1.95	BUY WHITE GOODS AT THIS SALE AND SAVE MONEY		9-4 Brown Sheeting. Sale Price	64c
Women's Ribbed Vests and Pants in white; 75c value. Sale price	48c	45x36 Pillow Cases; good quality Muslin; 48c value. At	37c	45c Cambric Sale Price	37c
Women's Muslin Night Gowns; long or short sleeves; \$1.25 quality. Sale Price	85c	45x36 Pillow Cases, worth 60c. Sale price ..	40c	35c Cambric Sale Price	29c
Children's Ribbed Hose in black. Our sale Price	25c	72x90 Bleached Bed Sheets; \$1.69 value at	\$1.39	\$16.00 all wool Bed Blankets; Sale	\$12.00
Children's and Misses' Outing Flannel Night Gowns; 8 to 12		\$2.00 value At	\$1.59	\$7.00 Woolnap Bed Blankets; at	\$5.95
		\$2.10 value At	\$1.62	\$4.75 Fleece Bed Blankets; at	\$3.75
		\$1x90; \$2.15 value At	\$1.69	\$4.25 Fleece Bed Blankets; at	\$3.39
		\$2.49 value At	\$1.95	\$3.50 single bed size Blankets at	\$1.95
				\$3.00 single bed size Blankets at	\$1.75
				\$7.50 Comfortables at	\$4.95

THE NEW SUPERVISORS

Grover T. Chase of Elk Creek, Long Active in Grange Work, is Native and Life-Long Resident of Town He Represents.



Mr. Chase of Maryland.

Grover T. Chase, who succeeds Fred Tice as member of Maryland, was born at Elk Creek, May 6, 1886, and has always lived in the town of Maryland. He served his town as collector for six years from 1913 to 1918, and he has a wide acquaintance throughout the county, being active in the grange.

Mr. Chase by occupation is a dealer in livestock and farm produce of all kinds and all kinds of waste material. He is a member of the Elk Creek grange, a past noble grand of Mankato lodge, I. O. O. F., and a member of the Macabees. He early affiliated himself with the Otsego County Improvement association, which is evidence ample that he is in favor of all progressive movements calculated to further the commercial and social interests of his home town and county.

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MEN'S CLUB BANQUET FRIDAY.

Four Speakers to Deliver Toasts—Excellent Dinner Will Be Served.

The advance sale of tickets for the eleventh annual banquet of the Men's club of the First Presbyterian church, which is to be held on Friday evening, indicates that there will be a large and representative crowd of Otsego men seated at the tables when the dinner is served at 6:30 p. m. As usual, the ladies of the church have made extensive arrangements in order that the "inner man" may be fully satisfied; chicken pie, fruit pudding, and many other good things to eat will be on the tables in large quantities.

After the repast, toasts will be in order. Dr. David H. Mills will act as toastmaster and the various speakers, who will touch on the general theme of "Community Welfare," will be as follows: H. W. Fluhrer, "Community Spirit"; A. C. Lange, "Community Centers"; Hon. Charles Smith, "Community Activities"; Dr. J. C. Russell, "Community Builders."

Between the toasts, the Men's Male chorus will render suitable selections for the entertainment of the gathering.

Although a distinctly Presbyterian church function, men of the congregation are privileged to bring friends. Tickets, which are priced at one dollar each, are now on sale at the business places of Lauren & Rowe and R. E. Brigham and should be secured at once to accommodate the ladies planning for the dinner.

Break into Camp House.
Three young men of this city recently broke into a camp house near the Ulster and Delaware yards in this city. Complaint was entered with the police department and they were apprehended. Nothing was stolen and they stated that one of their number fell into the river, and they broke out a window light to enter the camp, so they might build a fire and dry his clothing. The case will be disposed of in city court this morning.

Convention in Binghamton.
Hon. L. P. Butts goes to Binghamton tomorrow to attend the annual state convention of the association of Dealers in Builders' Supplies which convenes in that city the latter part of the present week.

Don't fail to attend dance at Dreamland Wednesday. Introducing the original Hawaiian Jazz Four. advt 24

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Would They Know You By Your Teeth?
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PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles Averill of Otsego was in this city shopping Tuesday. John Hakes of Gilbertsville was a business caller in this city Tuesday. B. S. Bunsdale of Maryland was a business caller in this city Tuesday. Rev. W. D. Jones of Worcester was a business visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Weatherley of Milford were business callers in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. L. J. Shider of Binghamton is the guest this week of Mrs. F. J. Beach, 16 Maple street.

Mrs. Margaret Shafer of Schenectady was in Otsego yesterday on business, returning last evening.

E. R. Moore, manager of the Oneonta theatre, left Tuesday for Sidney to spend the day on business.

H. L. Hall of Albany, who had been stopping over night in this city, left Tuesday for Norwich on business.

H. B. Acker and wife of Cooperstown are spending a week with their brother, H. W. Acker, 31 Cedar street.

Mrs. May Cook, 29 Cedar street, left Tuesday for Milford Center, to spend several days with Rev. W. W. Ward and family.

Mrs. George M. Bird and son, 5 Pine street, left Tuesday for Sidney to visit Mrs. Bird's mother, Mrs. Mary Hall, for a few days.

Dr. W. S. Dart of Hobart was in the city yesterday attending the annual meeting of the Citizens' National bank and other business engagements.

Mrs. Carolyn L. Bacon returned Tuesday to her home in Buffalo, after spending the holidays at the home of Linn Murdock, 494 Main street.

Mrs. George B. Shearer, 475 Main street, left Tuesday for Binghamton to meet Miss Anna Willett of that city who will visit for a few days at the home of Mrs. Shearer.

The many friends of Mrs. Myra Spencer of 14 Church street will learn with regret that she suffered a shock Sunday afternoon and is in a critical condition with little chance of recovery.

Mrs. Dan Jennings of this city was in Atton yesterday, calling on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Seeley, and by one day anticipating her congratulations on their fifty-eighth wedding anniversary, which takes place today.

Miss Loretta Richards, who had been residing in this city at 3 Tilton avenue, left Tuesday to spend a week at her home in Sidney. Miss Richards, who was employed here, has secured a position in New York city.

John Roberson, recruiting officer in charge of the naval recruiting station in this city, who had been spending the week-end in Boston on business, returned Monday. He will spend Monday in Cooperstown and Tuesday in Otsego, thence returning to this city.

Substituting for Miss Cristman.
Mrs. Jessie Mae Francis of Herkimer is substituting at the State Normal school for Miss Kate B. Cristman, who is confined to the Fox Memorial hospital by illness. Mrs. Francis was for several years a grade teacher at the Normal.

Otsego Rebekah Lodge to Meet.
Regular meeting of Vale Hannah Rebekah lodge this Wednesday evening. All members are requested to be present.

"The Joyce stores received a big shipment of cedar chests and four poster beds in walnut and mahogany too late for the Christmas trade. Will allow a discount of 20 per cent and deliver."

You simply use water with Kapla, the pancake staple. Buckwheat or pancake. Try some today. eod 11

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Queen Amelia Court, Order of Amaranth.

Last evening the following officers of Queen Amelia court, No. 64, Order of Amaranth, were installed by Past Assistant Grand Lecturer George Williamson in the presence of a good attendance of members:

Royal Matron—Edith Spencer.
Royal Patron—E. W. Spencer.
Assistant Matron—Stella Ingerham.
Treasurer—Earl L. Hall.
Lady Secretary—Lillian Foster.
Conductress—Zillah VanCleft.
Assistant Conductress—Clara Hall.
Lady Warden—Ella Thayer.
Standard Bearer—Esther For.
Prelate—Fanny Parks.
Trustee—Anna West.
Truth—Violet Ackert.
Wisdom—Mary Campbell.
Charity—Flora Ingerham.
Marshal in East—Ella Reid.
Marshal in West—Leonta Jackson.
Sentinel—Albert Vanderwalker.
Musician—Clara Hill.
Historian—Anna Hall.

Myrtle-Harder Co. at Oneonta Theatre.
The Myrtle-Harder company has announced Jane Cowl's great success, "Lilac Time" for today, matinee and night. Termed another "Madame Butterfly" by the New York critics—a story of love and springtime. The story deals with Jeanne, a daughter of France, who is the pet of a group of American officers, who are quartered at her home. Philip Blythe, a dare-devil American captain wins her love and they plight their troth in lilac time. This will be the first time that this play has been produced at popular prices in this city and the theatre-going public should take advantage of this, for it is a splendid presentation we are promised.

Tomorrow, "A Young Girl's Romance" will be the attraction—a story of flirtatious wives, answering the question, "Does it pay to flirt?" Seats on sale for entire engagement.

Oneonta Chapter Installed.
Assisted by P. H. J. William E. Ford. The officers of Oneonta chapter, No. 271, R. A. M., were installed at Masonic temple on Monday evening by Past High Priest James R. Gerling. The officers installed were as follows:

High Priest—Howard E. Gorham.
King—Henry Shove.
Scribe—George J. Dann.
Treasurer—C. C. Colburn.
Secretary—Charles E. Hills.
Captain of the Host—U. A. Ferguson.
Principal Sojourner—Frank G. Sherman.
Royal Arch Captain—Ira A. Gage.
Master of 2nd Veil—George Osterlander.
Master First Veil—E. H. Dougherty.
Sentinel—Fred Schwaninger.

A social hour and snapper followed the ceremonies of installation.

Boy Scout Housing Committee.
Chairman Beams has called a meeting of the housing committee at the offices of the Boy Scouts' council in the Chamber of Commerce rooms for Tuesday, January 20, at 5 o'clock, to discuss the question of securing a permanent meeting place for the scouts.

This organization is at present and has been for some time without a place to assemble. They have been meeting at the Chamber of Commerce rooms and at other places and it is desired to secure a permanent meeting place.

Rev. L. C. Nichols Here Jan. 25.
Rev. L. C. Nichols, pastor of the Universalist church at Utica, accompanied by his family, will be in this city Sunday, Jan. 25, to deliver a sermon at the Chapin Memorial Universalist church of this city. Rev. Nichols, who was pastor of the Universalist church of this city three years ago, accepted a call to Denver, returning recently to Utica. His former congregation will be greatly pleased at the opportunity of hearing him again.

Card of Thanks.
We desire to thank our kind friends and neighbors for their heartfelt sympathy and assistance in our late bereavement. We also wish to thank those who so generously offered the use of their cars. Their kindness will ever be remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. Anassa J. Shaver.
Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Arbuckle.
Mr. and Mrs. George H. White.

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To Whom It May Concern.
We herewith give notice that we will not be responsible for any debts contracted by E. W. Scott of Schenectady, N. Y., as he is no longer in our employ. Miller Hide Co. Oneonta, N. Y. Jan. 9, 1920. advt w-4-11

Dance.
Don't forget the dance at Milford, Wednesday, January 14. Round and square dances. advt 3t

For Sale—House and lot; also vacant lot on High street, near park. Inquire 84 Chestnut street. advt 2t.

A VETERAN FROM OTSEGO.

Amos Crounse, Native of Roseboom, Dies at Home in Washington, D. C.

A copy of the Washington Star of January 8 contains the following, which will be of interest to many of the veterans and older residents of Otsego county:

Amos Crounse, Civil war veteran and government employee, died Monday in this city. He was eighty-three years old, and had lived here since the war.

Mr. Crounse was born in Otsego county, New York, February 23, 1836. He became the owner of a farm in that state at the age of twenty-six, and busied himself in its affairs up to the time of the war. When the call came for volunteers he left the farm and enlisted in the 152nd Regiment of New York volunteers, September 6, 1862. He later became corporal of Company I.

Several times he was selected to act as a recruiting officer in the vicinity of his home. Shortly after his return from the last one of these trips, he was wounded in the battle of Prospect Hill, May 31, 1864, necessitating the amputation of his left hand. He was honorably discharged from the service on account of his disability January 20, 1865.

The remainder of his life was spent in the civil service of the government. He was employed in the capitol, the patent office and later was transferred to the Treasury department at the request of Francis E. Spinner, then secretary of that department. He remained there for forty-two years, when he resigned because of his advanced years.

Surviving him are seven children, grandchildren and several great grandchildren. Interment was in Arlington national cemetery on Wednesday, with military honors.

Mr. Crounse enlisted at the date above given from the town of Roseboom, and will no doubt be remembered at least by the few surviving members of his regiment and company, and by the older residents of the town.

For Sale—Lunch room doing good business. located in business section of Albany; easy terms to quick buyer. Good reason for selling. For information call at Cloverleaf lunch room, 28 Chestnut street, Oneonta. advt 3t

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Canvas Gloves; leather palms; heavy weight; at 39c

Men's Union Suits; heavy ribbed; \$2.50 value; at \$1.39

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Palm Olive Toilet Soap (limit, 2 cakes to a customer); at . 7c a cake
Men's Black Socks; all sizes 11c pr.
Men's Overalls with bib \$1.49 pair
Canvas Gloves with knit wrists; at 11c pair
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Sale of Aluminum Kitchen Utensils
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Guaranteed brand of Aluminum. Regular \$3.00 and \$4.00 values at
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Ladies' Fibre Silk Sweaters, Tuxedo style; colors. White Buff, Coral Buff, Navy Buff, Gray Buff, Turquoise Buff. Reg. \$10.50 each. Sale, each \$4.50

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1 lot Edges and Insertion; reg. 10c to 35c yd. Sale 2 yds. 5c
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